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Classified By: Political Counselor Richard Mills, reasons 1.4 (b/d).

11. (C/NF) FCO Minister for Africa Lord Malloch-Brown "continues to support the peace process for the time being" between the Government of Uganda and the LRA.
12. (S/NF) On military action against Kony, Atkinson said HMG would only support action aimed to capture Kony that stood a reasonably high chance of success.
13. (C/NF) Lavery said HMG will continue to undermine the LRA through non-military means. The UK's current priorities are a "real push" for stability in Central Africa.
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14. (C/NF) Since the FPA peace talks re-opened, HMG has softened its previous "harder edge policy" on Kony and the LRA (retel C). With the ICC